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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Fattaey Ali Ph.D.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

CURIS INC [CRIS]

(Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2018

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

C/O CURIS, INC., 4 MAGUIRE ROAD

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

President & CEO

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

LEXINGTON, MA 02421

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Reported

Code V Amount (D) Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8		Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee stock option (right to buy)	\$ 0.69	05/15/2018(1)		A		825,000		<u>(1)</u>	01/21/2028	Common stock	825,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
·r· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Fattaey Ali Ph.D. C/O CURIS, INC. 4 MAGUIRE ROAD LEXINGTON, MA 02421	X		President & CEO					

Signatures

William Steinkrauss, Attorney-in-fact 05/17/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

This option grant, as disclosed in Curis Inc.'s 2018 proxy statement, was approved by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Curis, Inc. on January 22, 2018, contingent upon shareholder approval of Curis's Third Amended and Restated 2010 Stock

Incentive Plan to increase the number of shares authorized for issuance thereunder; and further provided that such option would not be exercisable and no common stock would be issued thereunder, if the Third Amended and Restated 2010 Plan was not approved by Curis's shareholders. On May 15, 2018, at the 2018 annual meeting of shareholders, Curis's shareholders approved the Third Amended and Restated 2010 Plan. The option grant described in this Form 4 filing vests as to 25% of the original shares on January 22, 2019 and as to an additional 6.25% of the original shares each successive quarter and until January 22, 2022.

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